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Title: SPRAY GUN RESERVOIR WITH OVERSIZE, FAST-FILL OPENING

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR § 1.136(a)

		ILING OR TRANSMISSION [37 CFR § 1.8(a)]
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Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450	via the Office electronic fil	es Patent and Trademark Office on the date shown belowing system. Signed by: Colleen M. Wagna)
Dear Sir:		

Under the provisions of 37 CFR § 1.136(a), Applicant petitions to extend the period for filing a reply in the above-identified application. The requested extension and appropriate fee are as follows:

\boxtimes	37 CFR § 1.17(a)(1) - Extension within first month
	37 CFR § 1.17(a)(2) - Extension within second month
	37 CFR § 1.17(a)(3) - Extension within third month
	37 CFR § 1.17(a)(4) - Extension within fourth month
	37 CFR § 1.17(a)(5) - Extension within fifth month

Fees

\boxtimes	Any required fee will be made at the time of submission via EFS-Web. In the event fees are
	not or cannot be paid at the time of EFS-Web submission, please charge any fees under
	37 CFR § 1.17 which may be required to Deposit Account No. 13-3723.
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Respectfully submitted,

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